

# Things - To - Remember

## Chapter - 1 (Integers)

(1) **Integers** : The collection of numbers  $\dots, -4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$  is called integers.  
 $-1, -2, -3, -4, \dots$  called negative integers  
 $1, 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots$  called positive integers.

2) **Successor** : one more than given number. Example, successor of 1 is 2, 10 is 11,  $-9$  is  $-8$  etc.

3) **Predecessor** : one less than given number gives predecessor. Example 3 is 2, 20 is 19,  $-9$  is  $-10$ , 0 is  $-1$ .

4) **Additive Inverse** : of any integer  $a$  is  $(-a)$  and vice-versa.

5) When two positive (+ve) integers are added, we get a positive integer. e.g.  $(+3) + (+2) = +5$

6) When two negative (-ve) integers are added, we get a negative integer. e.g.  $(-2) + (-1) = -3$ .

7) When one positive (+ve) and one negative (-ve) integers are added we subtract them and put the sign of the bigger integer. The bigger integer is decided by ignoring the sign of the integers.  
e.g.  $(+4) + (-3) = +1$ ,  $(-4) + (+3) = -1$

**Product** :

8) $(+)$	$\times$	$(+)$	$=$	(gives) $(+)$	$-(-4) = +4$
$(-)$	$\times$	$(-)$	$=$	(gives) $(+)$	$-(+4) = -4$
$(+)$	$\times$	$(-)$	$=$	(gives) $(-)$	$+(-4) = -4$
$(-)$	$\times$	$(+)$	$=$	(gives) $(-)$	$+(+4) = +4$

9) Commutative Property :  $a+b = b+a$  i.e.  $6+3 = 3+6 = 9$   
 $a \times b = b \times a$

10) Associative Property :  $(a+b)+c = a+(b+c)$  e.g.  $(2+3)+4 = 2+(3+4)$   
 $(a \times b) \times c = a \times (b \times c)$

11) Addition of zero (0) :  $a+0 = 0+a = a$ .

12) Multiplication by 1 :  $a \times 1 = 1 \times a = a$

13) Multiplication by 0 :  $a \times 0 = 0 \times a = 0$

14) Distributive property :  $a \times (b+c) = a \times b + a \times c$   
(or)  $a \times b + a \times c = a \times (b+c)$

15) Division :  $(+a) \div (-b) = \frac{-a}{b}$      $(-a) \div (-b) = +\frac{a}{b}$   
 $(-a) \div (+b) = \frac{-a}{b}$

$$\frac{-a}{b} = \frac{a}{-b} = -\frac{a}{b}$$

16)  $a \div 0$  is not defined,  $a \div 1 = a$ .

(17)  $(-1)^n = 1$  (When  $n$  is even)  
 $= -1$  (When  $n$  is odd)

### Closure Property

18) Integers are closed under addition and subtraction.

$a+b$  is integer     $b+a$  is also integer.

$a-b$  is integer     $b-a$  is also integer.

19) Multiplication of two positive integers :  $a \times b = b \times a$

20) Multiplication of (+ve) and (-ve) integers :  $a \times (-b) = (-a) \times b = -(a \times b)$

21) Multiplication of two (-ve) integers :  $(-a) \times (-b) = a \times b$

22) Integers are closed under multiplication

23) Integers are not closed under multiplication.